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Dear George:

Three patents have been called to my attention that may be pertinent to our application on the fluted plastic tip:

British Patent #876,669 (enclosed)
U. S. Patent #3,330,284 (enclosed)
Australian Patent #240,650 (enclosed)

I just wanted to call these to your attention and ask if you have any comments concerning them.

Sincerely,

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